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Smithfield Butchery Company.

Cromwell, April 5, 1870.



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Trousers, in silk mixture, doeskin, tweed,
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GOOD STABLING. N. B .- District Post Office.

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The Proprietor of the WANAKA HOTEL can confidently state that a more pleasant method of passing a few days free from the turmoil and care of business, than by a sojourn in the neighbourhood of the picturesque and romantic Wanaka Lake, can scarcely be imagined.

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er District Post Office.

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GOOD STABLING. Three Loose Boxes, second to none. BILLIARDS.

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COUSIN SUSAN.

(From the Australian Journal.)

NK FULLER had married a German That was years ago, so that people Idone wondering that he had not chosen of his own countrywomen, and had ed their forebodings that no good would r come of it, for good, and nothing else, d'come of it. It was "silly," said the rkiss him every evening on the very or-step of the house as she ran out to eet him. It was "ridiculous," said the happy wife next door, to see him walkg, in the cool of the evening, about their ttle garden, with his arm around her aist; "such a waist, too," said Mrs arpe, for the fair wife had grown plump buxom since her marriage-day, in her ceful life of quiet love and comfort.

Not that Frank Fuller was rich. Far m it; but they had enough to satisfy e thrifty German housewife, enough for a red-checked, tow-headed boys, and the osy, dimpled girls, to cat and wear; and ever a shade of sorrow had Frank seen pon his wife's face until this evening, hen she sat with a letter in her hand, and -yes—tears in her bright blue eyes.

"But don't ery, Marguerite!" said

"Did I ever cry before since we were sarried?" asked Marguerite. "I must e them. Dear Frank, see what mother rrites. Such a good mother! I know hey are very old, and I am their daughter their only one. Oh, Frank!"

"If we were but rich," said Frank, "we rould go by the next ship. But my business cannot be left-and eight children. Good heavens! fancy the expense. You see it could not be done."

"I see it well," said Marguerite. "You must stay, but I must go. Yes, I must see them, my best beloved, for they are to me what we are to our children. I will go, if needs be, in the third class to save omething, but go I must."

"You should never do that, my darling Marguerite," said Frank; "but to go all alone. Would you dare? You remember the voyage here—how ill you were, how

"I know," said Marguerite. "But I father, the good mother, and the little Christine. Little! Oh, Frank, she is a woman grown now, with a lover. I should like to plait her hair for her on her wedding day. Little Christine, who stood on tiptoe to kiss me when I was married, and said, 'I wish I were old enough to be a bride, too, Marguerite,' Al, Frank, thou will let me go;" and she fell into her old foreign way of the caressing thee and thou, of which Frank never quite comprehended the tenderness.

But after a while he took up her hand

in his, and folded it to his breast. "You shall go, my Marguerite," he said, bring you back to me."

So it was settled that Marguerite should take this voyage, leaving her husband, her children, and her home the home loved to his room and laid him on his bed, conext to those who made it.

Only filial love and duty could have lured Marguerite from her tireside, could was good to him beyond expression, after have urged her to that voyage she dreaded

blessing.
The "Fair Fraulein" sailed on an early day, and on this ship Frank took passage for his wife. How strange it seemed to him to walk about the clean washed deck, to look at the handsome cabins, to go into his wife's little state-room, and see the tiny window whence her eyes would watch the ocean, the white pillow on which her lovely head should rest, the pogs on which her clothes would hang, the lamp whose rays would fall upon her as she knelt in

prayer, and to know that this would be

her dwelling for days and weeks afar from It as a clear, bright day, and they were making the vessel bright and fresh, washng, and polishing, and painting, here and there. Every one on board was full of life and hope, and every ripple of the water that kissed the keel held a gleam of sunshine; but Frank's heart felt heavy. He thought of storms that might come-of wrecks and disaster. The captain was smoking a cigar, and as he brushed the ashes away, the dying sparks whirled across the deck spitofully, as though bent on mis-

chief, f

said Frank to the captain.

"Nervous, sir ?" asked the captain. "Well, just now-I'm thinking of my wife, you see," said Frank. "Don't let it storm, captain;" but the laugh was a mere mockery, and the jest was forced from his lips. Hardly a jest either, for it did seem incumbent to commit the folly of commanding the waves to be at rest and the winds to fold their wings until his Marguerite had crossed the ocean.

This day was hard to bear, but not so hard as the one on which Frank took his wife on board the "Fair Frankein." He mingered long. He could not go, it seemed.

"He held both her dear hands, and looked to ber dear each sobbed softly. It farths their first parting.

the us," said the captain. ig So they tore their hands apart.

"Good-by, Marguerite," he said. She only whispered "Thou."

Then it came—the parting. chiefs fluttering farther and farther apart; vessel fading into a mere speck to one, the land into a dusky line to the other. She was gone.

Frank went home. Cousin Susan was there, keeping house. Susan, his cousin, was chosen by Marguerite, for her many good qualities, to care for her children while she was gone. Susan had assented willingly enough. She was not too rich, and to save was an object. Already she was leading the German servant a weary life of it, though the house was always spotless. "Heaven send the mistress back soon," said Gretchen, thinking of her own woes as she sulked about the kitchen. 'She was over-clean, but this one is cleauer." But, after all, Cousin Susan did well. She kept the children like so many wax dolls, and had them in a row on either side of the tables every evening studying their catechism.

By-and-bye a letter arrived by the mail for Frank, from his beloved Marguerite. She found her family in mourning, for their father was buried the day before she landed. Her mother was ill, too, and she was reluctantly pressed to stay a month longer than had been her intention.

The next mail brought another letter, more hopefully worded, and which concluded with love and thanks to Cousin Susan and a remembrance for Gretchen-"whose brother I saw yesterday," said good Marguerite, mindful of all, "and to whom I will bring a present when I return.'

There was yet another letter after this, in which Marguerite spoke of her return in the Fair Fraulein." Her passage was taken—she longed for home. Christine's wedding was just over, and now she was coming-coming.

After the ship had started-after that date, at least - Frank did nothing but watch the sky. It was a stormy monthwofully stormy. Wrecks everywheredisasters by the score; but Marguerite was coming—surely coming. The ship was due, and overdue; but Frank could not believe, would not believe, that Margaerite was not coming. In a kind of frenzy, he must at least see them once. The good haunted the places where it would be first known if she were "spoken."

Men looked at him gravely, and shrunk from saying what they thought. At last there was no thinking, but certainty.

The "Fair Fraulein" was lost. Her wreck had been seen: two wretched sailors, taken from a raft, had told her story-how she went to pieces at midnight, and how, to the best of their belief, all besides themselves had perished.

That night, when the door-bell rung, and a white-faced, ghostly, trembling creature tottered in, Susan could not believe it was her handsome cousin, Frank.

"She's gone, Susan," he said, as though 'and God protect and guard you, and he had just seen his wife die. "She's

Then Susan took hold of his arms, as though he had been a baby, and led him vering him with blankets, and taking off his boots with her own strong hands. She her own light. She made him ginger-tea, so. Nothing else, not gold nor silver, no and shut the shutters tight. She sent gift the world has to give save her parent's Gretchen for the doctor, with a message to the effect that "Cousin Francis was redhot, and talkin' wild about her bones being coral-made, and them was gons what was eyes, and must be out of his mind."

And through fever and delirium, Cousin Susan presed him, caring for his children. and doing her strict and earnest and not unloving duty all the while. . He was well at last-a broken-hearted man, hollow of cheek, and stooping at the shoulders, bent, as it were, with grief,-and went about his work as before, only with no real care for it, or anything.

it. The children, in their black clothes, went about the house on tip-toe, frightened the room. by their father's woful face. Susan did her best, and her sharpish face had grown more tender. It was never quite an ugly face. Sometimes she shed a few teurs by stealth. One day she had a "good cry." It was the day before she spoke to her cousin as follows :-

"Cousin Francis," she said, "I'm very sorry, but I've got to go."

"To go?" asked Frank, bewildered "Not of my will," she said. "I am pleased to do for you, I'm sure; but they say it ain't proper. While poor Mrs Fuller lived 'twas different; but they say, Uncle Brown, and Aunt Brown, and Mrs Jonas Ruffer—that now you are a widower folks'll talk. You see it's got to be done." And Susan stopped a sigh from being

"What will my children do?" asked Frank. "What will I do !-I'm fit for nothing. I can't think of them as I used to. I—Susan——"

He looked at her. There was a panic. He thought of his children, left alone -- of his comfortless home-of her patient goodness. It made no difference to him whether she was plain or pretty, young or old. The world held no woman whom he could love now; but he felt like a drowning man whose last hold is wrenched from

mother to my children ?-will you marry me I"

Susan timidly folded her hands in her lap. There had never been a human being so great and good and beautiful, in her eyes, as Francis Fuller.

She folded her hands, and looked down upon the carpet. After a while, a red color stole into her cheeks. She looked up again.
"Yes, Cousin Francis, I will," she said.

He offered her his hand. She took itas people shake hands at meeting. Neither thought of kissing the other; but Susan was glad to hide in her own room a while, The re-awakening of long-dead thoughts, strangled sensibly years before, was too much for her.

Once, when she was very young, everyone had thought that her cousin liked her and she had really loved him. Was she to be his wife, after all? Poor Susan!

The ship had been lost a year, when one day Susan was making a gray silk dress to fit herself. She had already a white bonnet, and blue dresses for the girls and jackets for the boys were ready. They were to do it quietly, but they were to be married the next day. It was a secret yet, unless Gretchen guessed; but it being once done at the minister's, Uncle and Aunt Brown and Cousin Jonas Ruffer and his wife were to be asked to tea, and told. Already Mrs Ruffer had thought it would be a good thing. She would approve, Susan knew.

She put the last hook and eye on, and hung the dress away. She pinned the bonnet up in paper; she peeped at a pair of white gloves—No. 7; she folded up a pair of silk stockings, and put them away. No gay thoughts, no very hopeful ones were in her mind, but she meant to make her husband happy, if she could. Now, only his housekeeper still, she went down to make tea. The baby-the youngest was called baby still-was put to bed in its crib; the rest were swinging on the porch; Frank was not home yet. Even Susan must dream a little; just now she put her head down upon her hand, and sat softly smiling to herself. The evening shadows grew thicker; the room was veiled in gloom. Suddenly something darker than a shadow seemed to pass Susanpass her and glide into the room where the babe slept. Susan started to her feet in a tremble; she crept to the door; there it was darker still; but bending over the cradle she saw a figure—the outline of Marguerite's-the baby's mother's figure, and none else. Susan staggered back to the door with a crash. A ghost had appeared to her. What did it mean? Was she wrong in marrying Marguerite's husband? Was this a sign of anger on the part of the dead wife?

She sat quite still, not daring to move. Suddenly a step smote the sill. Frank had returned. He walked up to Susan, and, remorseful perhaps for the utter coldness of his wooing, bent to kiss her, for the first time. She put him back,

"Stop, Cousin Francis," she said. "Wait a minute. I've seen something to-night, I've had a warning. She came to me-

"Your wife," said Susan "I saw her in the next room. If you dare, go in. She may speak to you. I believe she is

angry. Happy spirits never come so."
Frank looked at her in horror. She pointed to the inner room. He passed her and looked in. A figure stood there, in-

"Marguerite," he cried.

It moved. He remained, frozen with

" Marguerite," he sobbed. It came nearer. Living arms encircled is neck; warm lips were pressed to his. No ghost, but a living woman! His own dear Marguerite sobbed upon Frank Fuller's bosom!

Susan sat still—as still as a woman of marble. She could neither speak nor Some time passed on-nearly a year of move. Neither noticed nor remembered her until she found strength to glide from

> The old, old story: a shipwreck-a sojourn on a desert island—succoured, at last, by a ship not homeward bound, and carried far away-letters written that never could be sent, others lost on their wayand at last a return to the German home, whence she could come as soon as the news of her safety. It was like a wild dream to Frank.

"I have been here a whole day," she said, "in the city. I feared that, after all, there might be no home for me. They told me you were married-married to Cousin Susan. I--

"If it had been so, Margnerite?" asked Frank, trembling.

"I should have gone away-away from my children and my home," she said, "back to the old mother and family. I would never have let you know I lived. I would not have shamed her, and grieved you, and harmed both so much by being seen and known."

"Ah, Marguerite!"

"There are so many children, and Susan is so good," she said. "But thank God it was not so."

"Thank God!" said Frank. thank God, durling Marguerite.' An hour after, Susan plucked him by

the sleeve in the hall.

Uncle Brown and Mrs Jonas Ruffer will come over to-morrow. I shan't tell but what they was asked to see your wife, and if you don't hev the prayer-meetin' to your home next Wednesday, you ain't done your duty. You'd orter be happier than ever you was in your life. I am.

And then, heartily and in brotherly fashion, Frank kissed his Cousin Susan, and she kissed him.

And never a face at the tea table next night was so bright as Susan's, shining over the gray silk gown in which she had meant to be married.

As for the bonnet and gloves, Susan kept them, for no one knew who might come along some day; and lace is lace, and kid kid, in these hard times.

A Remarkable Story.

A strange story is told by an American journal of the resuscitation of an executed criminal. A man named Kriel, of Louisville, was lately sentenced to death for murdering his wife, and was accordingly hanged in the middle of last month. M: Kriel, we are told, "went to his doom grim, implacable, and unnaturally firm." As is not unnatural with gentlemen in his position, "his desire to live was paramount to every earthly desire." When the drop fell, it was observed that the closed hands and position of the legs and feet of the culprit remained entirely unchanged, "showing a tremendous exercise of will and control of nerve." The neck was not broken. and General Whittaker, who was present at the execution, declared that pulsation in the carotid arteries of the neck was discernible. after the gaol surgeon and his assistants declared life to be extinct. After hanging some minutes, Mr Kriel was cut down, and his body placed in a coffin; "the eyes, that stared half open when the cap was withdrawn, remained closed after a slight touch upon them, and the face assumed an appearance of rest. The red flushing of the cheeks came back to a certain extent, and the dark colouring on the neck under the knotted rope partially disappeared." No one seemed to have any charge of the body, and it was driven away in a hearse to the vault in the cometery. "Now," says the Commercial, "comes the closing scene in this strange story. Near midnight a light waggon was driven rapidly out of Walnut street, in which were seated three muffled, silent figures-one of them a surgeon of great experimental knowledge, a firm believer in the theory of resuscitation of animal life through the galvanic process. In the waggon were a mattress and several blankets. The waggon halted near the cemetery fence; the horse was held by the driver, and two men went to the vanit, carrying between them a large sack, well filled. In a short time they returned, bringing with them a motionless figure, shrouded in a blanket. The figure was, body was conveyed to the surgery of a most skilful and learned surgeon, where rival of the strange party. The body was placed in a recumbent position on the table, the clothing unloosed, the chest extended, and an incision made in one of the veins of the arm. At first but a small drop of dark-coloured blood came forth; but repeated incisions and manipulations of the body caused it at last to trickle forth more freely. The galvanic battery was then applied, and in less than fifteen minutes the warm blood began to course through the chilled body, and at last the eyes were opened. The students stood appalled, and could hardly realise the extent of the demonstration before then. One of them spoke to Kriel, asking hin if he was sensible. The eyes answered expressively, and the lips opened ineffectually, for no speech came forth. Stimulants were poured down the throat of the revived criminal, and in less than one hour from the time he had been placed in the have you done? Am I alive?' The consternation, and yet the professional delight, of the spectators was loudly expressed. Steps were immediately taken to save the life thus marvellously restored. Strangers disguised Mr Kriel, and furnished him with means; and by daylight a man, weak and tottering, but firm and immoveable in his demeanour, crossed the river, and was list seen by a watchful, silent friend, who kept near him until he left Seymour, Indiana, by train, on his way to an unknown bat, it is to be hoped, a better future."

Holloway's Ointment and Pills -An Infallible Remedy for Blotches on the Skin. - Edgar Mortimer, aged 25, of Simon's Town, Cap of Good Hope, was for five years a severe su rer with blotches on the skin, the whole of his ce, neck, arms, and hands being disfigured tith them, like the marks left by small-pox. tHe consulted several very clover medical men /ho told him it was the predicating sympton some disease. This alarmed him very t However, he took Holloway's Pills immedirally, and rubbed the Ointment well into the par | affected, and in two weeks the whole of the blotches disappeared, and his health was considerably improved. These remedies will/cure him.

"Susan," he said, "will you take my knows but you and me; don't you tell her. the most deeply-scatter of the most deeply-scatter of the most deeply-scatter of the most deeply-scatter of the cares upon you for life t—will you be a You owe me that respect: Aunt and ulcers of twenty years' standing.

Varieties.

Precrestination. - Dr. Johnston used to say, 'He who waits to do a great deal of good at once, will never de any."

A Smile is over the most bright and beaut. ul with a tear upon it. What is the dawn without

Manly spirit, as it is generally called, is often little else than the froth and foam of hardmouthed insolence.

The most beautiful may be the most admired and caressed, but they are not always the most estcomed and loved. That gifted tongue of yours, dear lady, was

given you to make known your true meaning to us, not to be rattled like a mussin-man's bell. What are you doing with my microscope Fred ?" "I've been shaving, father, and I want

to see if there are any hairs in the lather.' The First Architect .- "Who built the first house?" asked an ambitious schoolmistress of a bright little girl on examination day :- " I don't know, ma'am, but I think Noah did."--" Why do you think so, my dear?"-" Because he's the first ark-itect we read of."

A Cynical Man insists that the fewer relations or friends we have, the happier we are. In your poverty they never help you, in your prosperity they always help themselves.

A Sweeping Simile. - A fellow who had never enjoyed the pleasure of being coaxed out of his money by a pair of bright oyes swimming in tears, and consequently feels angry with those who have, crustily remarks: "As people sprinkle the floors before they sweep them, so wives sprinkle their husbands with tears in order to

sweep the cash out of their pockets." A Word to Wives .- "Why is it that so many men cease to love their wives or care for their homes?" I wonder if married women ever ask themselves this question. It is because so many women endeavor to please everybody except their husbands. They do all in their power to win a man's heart and hand, but they do nothing to keep it.

A farmer saw an advertised recipe to prevent wells and citrens from freezing. He sent his money and received in answer: "Take in your wells and citrens on cold nights, and keep them by the fire."

Who wrote the most, Dickens, Warren, or Bulwer! Warren wrote "Now and then," Bulwer wrote "Night and Morning," and Dickena wrote "All the Year Round."

A negro who had learned to read, wishing to give some of his acquaintances, who had never seen a book, an idea of it, said, " Reading is the power of hearing with the eyes as well as the King James I. was once entreated by his old

nurse to make her son a gentleman. "Nae, nae, nurse," was the reply of the British Solomon; I'll mak' him a lord, and ye wull, but it is beyoud my power to mak' him a gentleman. We are born in hope; we pass our childhood

in hope; we are governed by hope in the whole course of our lives; and in our last moments hope is flattering to us, and not till the beating of the heart shall cease, will its bonign influence leave us.

A cheerful man is happy, even if he possessee little; a fretful man is unhappy in the mideo of affluence. One great difference between a wise man and a fool is, the former only wishes placed on the mattress, and in silence the for what he may possibly obtain: the latter waggon was driven back to town. The desires impossibilities.

A gentleman called on a rich miser, and found him at table endeavouring to catch a fly. Presome ten or twelve excited and expectant sently he succeeded in entrapping one, which he students stood, anxiously awaiting the ar immediately put in the sugar, and shut down the cover. The gentleman asked for an explanation of this singular sport. "I'll tell you," replied the miser, a triumphant grin overspreading his countenance as he spoke, "I want to ascertain if the servants steal the sugar."

"Alas !" said a moralizing bachelor, within earshot of a witty young lady of the company, "this world is at its best a gloomy prison."
"Yes," sighed the merciless minx, "especially to the poor creatures doomed to solitary confine-

A darkey in Natchez, Mississippi, was boasting to a grocer of the cheapness of ten pounds of sugar he had bought at a rival store. weigh the package," said the grocer. The darkey assented, and it was found two pounds short. The coloured gentleman looked perplexed for a moment, and then said, "Guess he didn't cheat. dis chile much, for while ho was gettin' de sugar-I stole two pair of shoes."

Mr Mudie, the author of some popular works. on "The Seasons," was originally a teacher in surgery, Kriel sat up and said, "What at the house of the Rev. Dr. M The doctor was reputed for the suavity of his manners, and his especial politeness towards the fair sex. Handing a dish of honey to one of the ladies, he said in his wonted manner, "Do take a little houey, Miss --- It is so sweet -so like yourself." Mr Mudio could not restrain his native tendency to humour, so, handing the butter-dish to his host, he exclaimed, "Do take a littlebutter, doctor. It is so soft-so like yourself."

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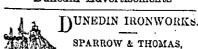
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